

EXHIBIT A

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

IN RE: DIISOCYANATES ANTITRUST
LITIGATION

This Document Relates to:
ALL ACTIONS

Master Docket Misc. No. 18-1001

MDL No. 2862

**AFFIDAVIT OF RACHEL J. LAMORTE IN SUPPORT OF
MOTION FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE***

I, Rachel J. Lamorte, hereby submit this affidavit in support of the motion for admission to appear and practice in this Court in the above-captioned matter as counsel *pro hac vice* for Defendant BASF Corporation. Being duly sworn, I hereby depose and say as follows:

1. I am an attorney with the law firm of Mayer Brown LLP. My business address is 1999 K Street, NW, Washington, DC 20006.
2. I am a member in good standing of the bar of the State of Massachusetts. My bar identification number is: 692411.
3. I am a member in good standing of the bar of the State of New York. My bar identification number is: 5380019.
4. I am a member in good standing of the bar of the District of Columbia. My bar identification number is: 1743057.
5. A current certificate of good standing from the bar of the District of Columbia is attached hereto.
6. I have never been a party to a disciplinary proceeding concerning my practice of law that resulted in a non-confidential negative finding or sanction by the disciplinary authority of the bar of any state or any United States court.
7. I attest that I am a registered user of ECF in the U.S. District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania.
8. I attest that I have read, know, and understand the Local Rules of Court for the U.S. District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania.
9. Based on the foregoing, I respectfully request that I be granted *pro hac vice* admission to represent BASF Corporation in this matter.

I certify and attest that the foregoing statements made by me in this affidavit are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are false, I am subject to punishment.

Dated: April 1, 2022

/s/ Rachel J. Lamorte

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On behalf of JULIO A. CASTILLO, Clerk of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals,
the District of Columbia Bar does hereby certify that

Rachel Jennifer Lamorte

was duly qualified and admitted on December 17, 2021 as an attorney and counselor entitled to
practice before this Court; and is, on the date indicated below, a(n)
ACTIVE member in good standing of this Bar.

In Testimony Whereof,
I have hereunto subscribed my
name and affixed the seal of this
Court at the City of
Washington, D.C., on February
1, 2022.

Julio A. Castillo

JULIO A. CASTILLO
Clerk of the Court

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